

## Program Specific Clinical Coverage Policies

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- 1A-3, Noninvasive Pulse Oximetry
- 1A-4, Cochlear and Auditory Brainstem Implants
- 1A-5, Case Conference for Sexually Abused Children
- 1A-6, Invasive Electrical Bone Growth Stimulation
- 1A-7, Neonatal and Pediatric Critical and Intensive Care Services
- 1A-8, Hyperbaric Oxygenation Therapy
- 1A-9, Blepharoplasty/Blepharoptosis (Eyelid Repair)
- 1A-11, Extracorporeal Shock Wave Lithotripsy
- 1A-12, Breast Surgeries
- 1A-13, Ocular Photodynamic Therapy
- 1A-14, Surgery for Ambiguous Genitalia
- 1A-15, Surgery for Clinically Severe or Morbid Obesity
- 1A-16, Surgery of the Lingual Frenulum
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- 1A-39, Routine Costs in Clinical Trial Services for Life Threatening Conditions
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- 1A-42, Balloon Ostial Dilation

### Physicians Drug Program

- 1B, Physician's Drug Program
- 1B-1, Botulinum Toxin Treatment: Type A (Botox) and Type B (Myobloc)
- 1B-2, Rituximab (Rituxan)
- 1B-3, Intravenous Iron Therapy

### Podiatry

- 1C-1, Podiatry Services
- 1C-2, Medically Necessary Routine Foot Care

#### Rural Health Clinics, FQHC and Health Depts.

- 1D-1, Refugee Health Assessments Provided in Health Departments
- 1D-2, Sexually Transmitted Disease Treatment Provided in Health Depts
- 1D-3, Tuberculosis Control and Treatment Provided in Health Depts
- 1D-4, Core Services Provided in Federally Qualified Health Centers and Rural Health Clinics

#### Obstetrics & Gynecology

- 1E-1, Hysterectomy
- 1E-2, Therapeutic and Non-therapeutic Abortions
- 1E-3, Sterilization Procedures
- 1E-4, Fetal Surveillance
- 1E-5, Obstetrics
- 1E-6, Pregnancy Medical Home
- 1E-7, Family Planning Services

#### Chiropractic

- 1F, Chiropractic Services

#### Burn Treatments

- 1G-1, Burn Treatment
- 1G-2, Skin Substitutes

#### Telemedicine and Telepsychiatry

- 1H, Telemedicine and Telepsychiatry

#### Dietary Evaluation and Counseling

- 1-I, Dietary Evaluation and Counseling and Medical Lactation Services

#### Radiology

- 1K-1, Breast Imaging
- 1K-2, Bone Mass Measurement
- 1K-6, Radiation Oncology
- 1K-7, Prior Approval for Imaging Services

#### Anesthesia

- 1L-1, Anesthesia Services
- 1L-2, Moderate (Conscious) Sedation, AKA Procedural Sedation and Analgesia (PSA)

#### Maternal Support Services (Baby Love)

- 1M-2, Childbirth Education
- 1M-3, Health and Behavior Intervention
- 1M-4, Home Visit for Newborn Care and Assessment
- 1M-5, Home Visit for Postnatal Assessment and Follow-up Care
- 1M-6, Maternal Care Skilled Nurse Home Visit

#### Allergies

- 1N-1, Allergy Testing
- 1N-2, Allergy Immunotherapy

#### Reconstructive Surgery

- 1-O-1, Reconstructive and Cosmetic Surgery
- 1-O-2, Craniofacial Surgery
- 1-O-3, Keloid Excision and Scar Revision
- 1-O-5, Rhinoplasty and/or Septorhinoplasty

#### Cardiac Procedures

- 1R-1, Phase II Outpatient Cardiac Rehabilitation Programs
- 1R-4, Electrocardiography, Echocardiography, and Intravascular Ultrasound

#### Laboratory Services

- 1S-1, Genotyping and Phenotyping for HIV Drug Resistance Testing
- 1S-2, HIV Tropism Assay
- 1S-3, Laboratory Services
- 1S-4, Genetic Testing
- 1S-8, Drug Testing for Opioid Treatment and Controlled Substance Monitoring

#### Ophthalmological Services

- 1T-1, General Ophthalmological Services
- 1T-2, Special Ophthalmological Services

#### Facility Services

- 2A-1, Acute Inpatient Hospital Services
- 2A-2, Long Term Care Hospital Services
- 2A-3, Out-of-State Services
- 2B-1, Nursing Facilities
- 2B-2, Geropsychiatric Units in Nursing Facilities

#### Community Based Services

- 3A, Home Health Services
- 3B, PACE (Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly)
- 3D, Hospice Services
- 3G-1, Private Duty Nursing for Beneficiaries Age 21 and Older
- 3G-2, Private Duty Nursing for Beneficiaries Under 21 Years of Age
- 3H-1, Home Infusion Therapy
- 3K-1, Community Alternatives Program for Children (CAP/C)
- 3K-2, Community Alternatives Program for Disabled Adults (CAP/DA)
- 3L, State Plan Personal Care Services (PCS)

#### Dental

- 4A, Dental Services
- 4B, Orthodontic Services

#### Medical Equipment

- 5A, Durable Medical Equipment
- 5A-1, Physical Rehabilitation Equipment and Supplies
- 5A-2, Respiratory Equipment and Supplies
- 5A-3, Nursing Equipment and Supplies
- 5B, Orthotics & Prosthetics

#### Vision Services

- 6A, Routine Eye Exam and Visual Aids for Recipients Under Age 21

#### Hearing Aid Services

- 7, Hearing Aid Services

## **Behavioral Health**

- 8A, Enhanced Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services
- 8A-1, Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) Program
- 8A-2, Facility-Based Crisis Service for Children and Adolescents
- 8B, Inpatient Behavioral Health Services
- 8C, Outpatient Behavioral Health Services Provided by Direct-Enrolled Providers
- 8D-1, Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities for Children under the Age of 21
- 8D-2, Residential Treatment Services
- 8E, Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities
- 8I, Psychological Services in Health Departments and School-Based Health Centers Sponsored by Health Departments to the under-21 Population
- 8J, Children's Developmental Service Agencies (CDSAs)
- 8L, Mental Health/Substance Abuse Targeted Case Management
- 8N, NC Health Choice – Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Targeted Case Management
- 8-O, Services for Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities and Mental Health or Substance Abuse Co-Occurring Disorders
- 8-P, North Carolina Innovations

## **Pharmacy Services**

- 9, Outpatient Pharmacy Program
- 9A, Over-The-Counter Products
- 9B, Hemophilia Specialty Pharmacy Program
- 9C, Mental Health Drug Management Program Administrative Procedures
- 9D, Off Label Antipsychotic Safety Monitoring in Beneficiaries Through Age 17
- 9E, Off Label Antipsychotic Safety Monitoring in Beneficiaries 18 and Older

## **Specialized Therapies**

- 10A, Outpatient Specialized Therapies
- 10B, Independent Practitioners (IP)
- 10C, Local Education Agencies (LEAs)
- 10D, Independent Practitioners Respiratory Therapy Services

## **Transplants and Related Services**

- **Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplants**
  - 11A-1, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell or Bone Marrow Transplantation for Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL)
  - 11A-2, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant for Acute Myeloid Leukemia)
  - 11A-3, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell & Bone Marrow Transplantation for Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia
  - 11A-5, Allogeneic Hematopoietic & Bone Marrow Transplant for Genetic Diseases and Acquired Anemias
  - 11A-6, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell & Bone Marrow Transplantation in the Treatment of Germ Cell Tumors
  - 11A-7, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell & Bone Marrow Transplantation for Hodgkin Lymphoma
  - 11A-8, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell Transplantation For Multiple Myeloma and Primary Amyloidosis
  - 11A-9, Allogeneic Stem-Cell & Bone Marrow Transplantation for Myelodysplastic Syndromes & Myeloproliferative Neoplasms
  - 11A-10, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell & Bone Marrow Transplantation for Central Nervous System (CNS) Embryonal Tumors & Ependymoma
  - 11A-11, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell & Bone Marrow Transplant for Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma

- 11A-14, Placental and Umbilical Cord Blood as a Source of Stem Cells
- 11A-15, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell Transplantation for Solid Tumors of Childhood
- 11A-16, Hematopoietic Stem-Cell Transplantation for Chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) and Small lymphocytic lymphoma (SLL)
- [Solid Organ Transplants](#)
  - 11B-1, Lung Transplantation
  - 11B-2, Heart Transplantation
  - 11B-3, Islet Cell Transplantation
  - 11B-4, Kidney Transplantation
  - 11B-5, Liver Transplantation
  - 11B-6, Heart/Lung Transplantation
  - 11B-7, Pancreas Transplant
  - 11B-8, Small Bowel and Small Bowel/Liver and Multivisceral Transplants

#### [Ventricular Assist Device](#)

- 11C, Ventricular Assist Device

#### [Targeted Case Management](#)

- 12B, Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Case Management

#### [Auditory Implants External Parts](#)

- 13A, Cochlear and Auditory Brainstem Implant External Parts Replacement and Repair
- 13B, Soft Band and Implantable Bone Conduction Hearing Aid External Parts Replacement and Repair

#### [Ambulance Services](#)

- 15, Ambulance Services